

House File 2376

H-8109

- 1 Amend House File 2376 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:
- 3 <Section 1. Section 368.7, subsection 1, paragraphs
- 4 a and f, Code 2009, are amended to read as follows:
- 5 a. All of the owners of land in a territory
- 6 adjoining a city may apply in writing to the council
- 7 of the adjoining city requesting annexation of the
- 8 territory. Territory comprising railway right-of-way
- 9 or territory comprising not more than twenty percent
- 10 of the owners of the land area may be included in
- 11 the application without the consent of the owner to
- 12 avoid creating an island or to create more uniform
- 13 boundaries. Public land may be included in the
- 14 territory to be annexed. However, the area of the
- 15 territory that is public land included without the
- 16 written consent of the agency with jurisdiction
- 17 over the public land shall not be used to determine
- 18 the percentage of ~~territory~~ the owners of the land
- 19 area that is included with the consent of the owner and
- 20 without the consent of the owner.
- 21 f. An annexation including territory comprising not
- 22 more than twenty percent of the owners of the land area
- 23 without consent of the property owners is not complete
- 24 without approval by four-fifths of the members of the
- 25 city development board after a hearing for all affected
- 26 property owners and the county. When considering such
- 27 an annexation application, the board may request that
- 28 the annexing city provide information on the amount of
- 29 land located in the annexing city that is currently
- 30 vacant or undeveloped and whether municipal services
- 31 are being provided to current residents of the annexing
- 32 city.>
- 33 2. Page 2, after line 22 by inserting:
- 34 <Sec. _____. APPLICABILITY. The section of this Act
- 35 amending section 368.7 applies to applications for
- 36 voluntary annexation filed on or after the effective
- 37 date of this Act.>
- 38 3. Title page line 3, after <board> by inserting <,
- 39 amending provisions relating to procedures in certain
- 40 voluntary annexations, and including applicability
- 41 provisions>
- 42 4. By renumbering as necessary.

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